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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Group Art Unit: 1775

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Examiner: T. M. Speer

Serial No.: 10/516,324

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For: HONEYCOMB-SHAPED CARBON ELEMENT

## RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Honorable Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the restriction requirement mailed July 12, 2007, Applicants elect species 1, without traverse, for prosecution in this application.

This election it thought to affect Claim 4 only. All other claims appear to be generic, as neither CVI nor CVD is required.

Respectfully submitted,

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